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FOREIGN.

CUBA.

Communicable Diseases—Habana.

Communicable diseases have been notified at Habana as follows:

Disease.	Jan. 11-20, 1918.		Cases remaining under treatment Jan. 20, 1918.
	New cases.	Deaths.	
Cerebrospinal meningitis.....			11
Diphtheria.....	7		4
Leprosy.....			11
Malaria.....	25		239
Measles.....	7		14
Paratyphoid fever.....	1		1
Poliomyelitis.....			1
Scarlet fever.....			4
Smallpox.....			2
Typhoid fever.....	16	5	74
Varicella.....	30		39

¹ From the United States.

² From the interior, 14.

³ From the interior, 26.

INDIA.

Malaria—Bombay Presidency.

During the three-year period, 1914-1916, there were admitted to hospital in the Bombay Presidency 1,352,372 cases of malaria as compared with 1,171,600 cases admitted during the previous three-year period, 1911-1913. This increase was mainly due to a very severe incidence of malarial fever in the province of Sind, owing to excessive rains and an abnormal inundation of the Indus in the year 1916, and is not an indication that the efforts made by the Government to combat the disease in the specially malarious tracts have in any way been relaxed. A large number of cases were treated in the worst infected districts of Sind and quinine was made widely available.

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, AND TYPHUS FEVER.**Reports Received During Week Ended Feb. 15, 1918.¹****CHOLERA.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Java:				
West Java.....				
Batavia.....	Nov. 30-Dec. 13...	13	7	Nov. 30-Dec. 13, 1917: Cases, 28; deaths, 14.

PLAGUE.

Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 1....	6	5	
Java:				
East Java.....				
Surabaya.....	Nov. 11-25.....	2	2	Nov. 11-25, 1917: Cases, 47; deaths, 46.

SMALLPOX.

Australia:				
New South Wales.....				
Kurri Kurri.....	Dec. 7-20.....	2		Dec. 7-20, 1917: Cases, 2.
Canada:				
British Columbia—				
Vancouver.....	Jan. 13-19.....	1		
Victoria.....	Jan. 7-20.....	2		
New Brunswick—				
Kent County.....	Jan. 22.....	40		In 7 localities.
Moncton.....	Jan. 27-Feb. 2....	1		
Northumberland	Jan. 22.....	41		In 5 localities.
County.....				
Victoria County.....	do.....	10		In Limestone and at a lumber
York County.....	do.....	8		camp.
Ontario.....				
Sarnia.....	Jan. 27-Feb. 2....	4		
China:				
Chungking.....	Dec. 2-15.....			Present.
Dairen.....	Dec. 16-22.....	2	1	
Shanghai.....	Dec. 31-Jan. 6....	4	17	
Java:				
West Java.....				Nov. 30-Dec. 6, 1917: Cases, 30; deaths, 7.
Portugal:				
Lisbon.....	Dec. 16-22.....	5		
Portuguese East Africa:				
Lourenço Marquez.....	Oct. 1-31.....		1	
Spain:				
Madrid.....				Jan. 1-Dec. 31, 1917: Deaths, 77.

TYPHUS FEVER.

China:				
Antung.....	Dec. 24-30.....	2		
Do.....	Dec. 31-Jan. 6....		1	
Egypt:				
Alexandria.....	Dec. 22-28.....	13	5	
Cairo.....	Oct. 15-21.....	5	1	
Japan:				
Nagasaki.....	Dec. 24-30.....	2		
Java:				
Mid-Java.....		7		
Samarang.....	Nov. 22-Dec. 5....	6	1	Nov. 22-Dec. 5, 1917: Cases, 7; deaths, 1.
West Java.....				
Batavia.....	Nov. 30-Dec. 13...	15	5	Nov. 30-Dec. 13, 1917: Cases, 19; deaths, 5.
Mexico:				
Aguaascalientes.....	Jan. 21-27.....		3	
Durango State—				
Guanacevi.....	Feb. 11.....			Epidemic.
Russia:				
Petrograd.....	Feb. 2.....			Present.
Turkey:				
Janina.....	Jan. 27.....			Epidemic.

¹ From medical officers of the Public Health Service, American consuls, and other sources.

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, AND TYPHUS FEVER—Continued.**Reports Received from Dec. 29, 1917, to Feb. 8, 1918.****CHOLERA**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
China:				
Antung.....	Nov. 26-Dec. 2....	3	1	
India:				
Bombay.....	Oct. 28-Nov. 24....	17	12	
Calcutta.....	Sept. 16-Nov. 24....		76	
Rangoon.....	Nov. 4-17.....	2	2	
Indo-China:				
Provinces.....				Sept. 1-30, 1917: Cases, 74; deaths, 37.
Anam.....	Sept. 1-30.....	13	10	
Cambodia.....	.....do.....	19	12	
Cochin-China.....	.....do.....	32	13	
Kwang-Chow-Wan.....	.....do.....	10	2	
Saigon.....	Nov. 22-28.....	1		
Java:				
East Java.....	Oct. 28-Nov. 3....	1	1	
West Java.....				Oct. 19-Nov. 29, 1917: Cases, 68; deaths, 35.
Batavia.....	Oct. 19-Nov. 29....	38	8	
Persia:				
Mazanderan Province—				
Astrabad.....	July 31.....			Present.
Barfrush.....	July 1-27.....	34	23	
Chahmirzad.....				25 cases reported July 31, 1917.
Chahrastagh.....	June 15-July 25....	10	8	
Kharek.....	May 28-June 11....	21	13	
Sari.....	July 3-29.....	273	144	
Yekchambe-Bazar.....	June 3.....	6		
Philippine Islands:				
Provinces.....				Nov. 18-Dec. 22, 1917: Cases, 992; deaths, 657.
Antique.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 1....	48	32	
Bohol.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 22....	147	83	
Capiz.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 22....	12	10	
Iloilo.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 15....	179	134	
Leyte.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 22....	13	12	
Mindanao.....	.....do.....	323	189	
Occidental Negros.....	.....do.....	188	123	
Oriental Negros.....	.....do.....	94	59	
Romblon.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 1....	1	1	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	Sept. 16-22.....	1	1	
Turkey in Asia:				
Bagdad.....	Nov. 1-15.....		40	

PLAGUE.

Brazil:				
Bahia.....	Nov. 4-Dec. 15....	4	4	
British Gold Coast:				
Axim.....	Jan. 8.....			Present.
Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	Oct. 14-Nov. 17....	8	8	
Egypt:				
Port Said.....	July 23-29.....	1	2	Jan. 1-Nov. 15, 1917: Cases, 728; deaths, 398.
India:				Sept. 16-Nov. 24, 1917: Cases, 131,804; deaths, 174,734.
Bombay.....	Oct. 28-Nov. 24....	93	79	
Calcutta.....	Sept. 16-29.....		2	
Hazada.....	Oct. 21-27.....		1	
Karachi.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 10....	6	5	
Madras Presidency.....	Oct. 31-Nov. 17....	3,294	2,560	
Mandalay.....	Oct. 14-Nov. 17....		89	
Rangoon.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 17....	36	16	
Indo-China:				
Provinces.....				Sept. 1-30, 1917: Cases, 34; deaths, 30.
Anam.....	Sept. 1-30.....	12	11	
Cambodia.....	.....do.....	12	11	
Cochin-China.....	.....do.....	10	8	
Saigon.....	Oct. 31-Nov. 18....	8	4	
Java:				
East Java.....	Oct. 27-Nov. 10....	28	27	
Senegal:				
St. Louis.....	Feb. 2.....			Present.
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	Sept. 16-Nov. 24....	11	7	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore.....	Oct. 28-Nov. 24....	3	5	

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, AND TYPHUS FEVER—Continued.**Reports Received from Dec. 29, 1917, to Feb. 8, 1918—Continued.****SMALLPOX.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Algeria:				
Algiers.....	Nov. 1-30.....	1		
Australia:				
New South Wales.....				July 12-Nov. 20, 1917: Cases, 34.
Abermain.....	Oct. 25-Nov. 20.....	3		
Cessnock.....	July 12-Oct. 11.....	7		Newcastle district.
Eumangla.....	Aug. 15.....	1		
Kurri Kurri.....	Dec. 5.....	1		
Mungindi.....	Aug. 13.....	1		
Warren.....	July 12-Oct. 25.....	22		
Brazil:				
Bahia.....	Nov. 10-Dec. 8.....	3		
Pernambuco.....	Nov. 1-15.....	1		
Rio de Janeiro.....	Sept. 30-Dec. 1.....	519	151	
Sao Paulo.....	Oct. 29-Nov. 4.....		2	
Canada:				
British Columbia—				
Winnipeg.....	Dec. 30-Jan. 5.....	1		
New Brunswick—				
Kent County.....	Dec. 4.....			Outbreak. On main line Cana-
Moncton.....	Jan. 20-26.....	1		dian Ry., 25 miles north of
Restigouche County.....	Jan. 18.....	60		Moncton.
Ontario—				
Hamilton.....	Dec. 16-22.....	1		
Do.....	Jan. 13-19.....	2		
Sarnia.....	Dec. 9-15.....	1		
Do.....	Jan. 6-26.....	16		
Windsor.....	Dec. 30-Jan. 5.....	1		
Quebec—				
Montreal.....	Dec. 16-Jan. 5.....	5		
Do.....	Jan. 6-12.....	1		
China:				
Amoy.....	Oct. 22-Nov. 25.....			Present.
Antung.....	Dec. 3-23.....	13	2	
Chungking.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 1.....			Do.
Dairen.....	Nov. 18-24.....	1		
Harbin.....	May 14-June 30.....	20		Chinese Eastern Ry.
Do.....	July 1-Oct. 15.....	4		Do.
Hungtshotze Station.....	Oct. 28-Nov. 4.....	1		Do.
Manchuria Station.....	May 14-June 30.....	6		Do.
Do.....	July 1-Oct. 15.....	3		Do.
Mukden.....	Nov. 11-24.....			Present.
Shanghai.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 23.....	41	91	Cases, foreign; deaths among
Tientsin.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 22.....	13		natives.
Cuba:				
Habana.....	Jan. 7.....	1		Nov. 8, 1917; 1 case from Coruna.
Marianao.....	Jan. 8.....	1		Dec. 5, 1917; 1 case.
Egypt:				6 miles distant from Habana.
Alexandria.....	Nov. 12-18.....	1		
Cairo.....	July 23-Aug. 5.....	5	1	
France:				
Lyon.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 16.....	6	3	
Great Britain:				
Birmingham.....	Nov. 11-17.....	19		
India:				
Bombay.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 24.....	12	4	
Madras.....	Oct. 31-Nov. 17.....	6	2	
Rangoon.....	Oct. 28-Nov. 17.....	3	1	
Indo-China:				
Provinces.....				Sept. 1-30, 1917; Cases, 193;
Anam.....	Sept. 1-30.....	61	12	deaths, 56.
Cambodia.....	do.....	7		
Cochin-China.....	do.....	124	44	
Tonkin.....	do.....	1		
Saigon.....	Oct. 29-Nov. 28.....	62	16	
Italy:				
Milan.....				October, 1917: Cases, 2.
Turin.....	Oct. 29-Dec. 9.....	123	120	
Castellamare.....	Dec. 10.....	2		Among refugees.
Florence.....	Dec. 1-13.....	17	4	
Naples.....	To Dec. 10.....	2		Do.
Java:				
East Java.....	Oct. 27-Nov. 10.....	19		
Mid-Java.....	Oct. 10-Nov. 21.....	55		
West Java.....				Oct. 19-Nov. 29, 1917: Cases, 162;
Batavia.....	Nov. 2-8.....	1		deaths, 23.

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SMALLPOX—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Mexico:				
Mazatlan.....	Dec. 5-11.....		1	
Mexico City.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 29...	16		
Do.....	Dec. 30-Jan. 12....	8		
Piedras Negras....	Jan. 11.....	200		
Newfoundland:				
St. Johns.....	Dec. 8-Jan. 4.....	29		
Do.....	Jan. 5-18.....	14		
Trepassey.....	Jan. 4.....			Outbreak with 11 cases reported.
Philippine Islands:				
Manila.....	Oct. 28-Dec. 8....	5		
Portugal:				
Lisbon.....	Nov. 4-Dec. 15....	2		
Portuguese East Africa:				
Lourenço Marques..	Aug. 1-Sept. 30....		4	
Russia:				
Moscow.....	Aug. 26-Oct. 6....	22	2	
Petrograd.....	Aug. 31-Nov. 18....	76	3	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 1....	1	1	
Spain:				
Coruna.....	Dec. 2-15.....		4	
Seville.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30....		26	
Tunisia:				
Tunis.....	Dec. 14-20.....		1	
Turkey in Asia:				
Bagdad.....				Present in November, 1917.
Venezuela:				
Maracaibo.....	Dec. 2-8.....		1	

TYPHUS FEVER.

Algeria:				
Algiers.....	Nov. 1-30.....	2		
Australia:				
South Australia.....				Nov. 11-17, 1917: Cases, 1.
Brazil:				
Rio de Janeiro.....	Oct. 28-Dec. 1....	7		
Canada:				
Ontario—				
Kingslon.....	Dec. 2-8.....	3		
Quebec—				
Montreal.....	Dec. 16-22.....	2	1	
China:				
Anlung.....	Dec. 3-16.....	11	1	
Chosen (Formosa):				
Seoul.....	Nov. 1-30.....	1		
Egypt:				
Alexandria.....	Nov. 8-Dec. 16....	121	47	
Cairo.....	July 23-Sept. 23....	23	8	
Port Said.....	July 30-Sept. 23....	3	3	
Great Britain:				
Glasgow.....	Dec. 21.....	1		
Manchester.....	Dec. 2-8.....	1		
Greece:				
Saloniki.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 8....		36	
Japan:				
Nagasaki.....	Nov. 20-Dec. 16....	5	5	
Java:				
East Java.....				Oct. 15-Nov. 15, 1917: Cases, 17; deaths, 3.
Mid-Java.....				Oct. 10-Nov. 13, 1917: Cases, 42; deaths, 2.
Samarang.....	Oct. 17-Nov. 13....	9	1	
West Java.....				Oct. 19-Nov. 20, 1917: Cases, 36; deaths, 5.
Batavia.....	Oct. 19-Nov. 15....	41	7	
Mexico:				
Aguascalientes....	Dec. 15.....		2	
Mexico City.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 29....	476		
Do.....	Dec. 30-Jan. 12....	139		

CHOLERA PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, AND TYPHUS FEVER—Continued.**Reports Received from Dec. 29, 1917, to Feb. 8, 1918—Continued.****TYPHUS FEVER—Continued.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Russia:				
Archangel.....	Sept. 1-14.....	7	2	
Moscow.....	Aug. 26-Oct. 6....	49	2	
Petrograd.....	Aug. 31-Nov. 18....	32		
Vladivostok.....	Oct. 29-Nov. 4....	12	1	
Sweden:				
Goteborg.....	Nov. 18-24.....	1		
Switzerland:				
Zurich.....	Nov. 9-15.....	2		
Tunisia:				
Tunis.....	Nov. 30-Dec. 6....		1	
Union of South Africa:				
Cape of Good Hope State..	Sept. 10-Nov. 4....	3,342	668	